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NEW FIRM AT CRAIG, HOLT COUNTY, MISSOURI,
RIFFE, NAUMAN & COMPANY,
AT THE OLD STAND. Successors to H. Thomas & Co. AT THE OLD STAND.

We cordially invite Everybody, Young and Old, Rich and Poor alike, from the Highways, Byways and Hedges, to come in and try us, and we promise if it lies in the power of mortal man to please you in Goods and Prices, we will do it. Again we say, come!

RIFFE, NAUMAN & CO., Craig, Missouri.

ONE DOLLAR for 90 Cents

20 Days Only! 20 Days Only!

CHAMBERS, MARNEY & CO'S
GREAT ANNUAL DISCOUNT SALE OF
DRY GOODS

10 Cents on Every Dollar Paid Back to Customers
On all Cash Purchases.

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY CHEAP DRY GOODS!

On Tuesday, January 1st, 1884, we commenced our fourth "Great Annual Clearing Sale of Dry Goods," which during the past three years have become so popular with our patrons. In addition to the sweeping reductions we have made on goods in different departments since Christmas, we commenced Tuesday, January 1st, paying back on all cash purchases, ten cents for every dollar's worth of goods purchased, thus giving our patrons an opportunity to supply themselves with anything in the dry goods line at a magnificent bargain.

The object of this sale, and our offering of goods at such extraordinary prices, and then paying back in money so large a percentage of the purchase is simply to sell the largest amount of goods we can, and reduce stock as largely as possible before inventorying, and as the old plan of advertising goods at "one dollar" is no longer so convincing and satisfactory one. In view of our customers' which our special sales of the past three years has done to the entire satisfaction, that we are selling goods as cheap or cheaper than they can be bought in this or any other market, and that besides this we pay back in cash ten cents on every dollar, or one dollar on every ten, they know to a certainty that they are buying goods at a very low value. This applies to our general stock of goods in all departments, so that persons needing anything in the dry goods line cannot afford to pass up this opportunity of our "Great Clearing Sale." As we reserve the right to discontinue this sale after 20 days, an early call is advisable. Take no person's word for it, but call and see whether it will pay you to patronize this sale or not.

Chambers, Marney & Co.
North Side Felix St., bet. 5th and 6th.,
ST. JOSEPH, - - MO.
C. E. COCHRAN,
JEWELER,
MOUND CITY, MO.

Has, beyond any doubt, the best assortment of
WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELRY, SILVERWARE
And SPECTACLES of any other in Holt County,
and he begs you all to call and see that this is true.
Special Attention Given to Repairing Watches, and Work Warranted
to Give Satisfaction. It will pay you to call on him before buying.
E. COCHRAN, MOUND CITY.

For Fine Buggies, Carriages, Sundry Wagons, Road Carts, Etc., I will guaranty to furnish a First-class article at the Lowest Price. I keep constantly on hand everything in my line, and deal only in good Goods. Parties desiring a good Buggy or Carriage, will find to their advantage to write or call on me.
G. MILES,
Myvanie Street, Between 3rd & 4th, St. Joseph, Mo.

THE HORSE'S FRIEND, ANDEKON & BOYD,
Hooper's Horse Collar.
MANUFACTURED BY—
Tean Harness

of every design, and Single and Double Buggy harness. Dealers in Saddles, Collars, tips, Brushes, Combs and everything of the line. We use nothing but the best leather, and guarantee satisfaction. Will sell you a Better Harness than you buy in the county for the money. It will come and see us when in want of Harness, Saddle or anything in our line. We will please you and save you money. Our motto.
Not How Che But How Good.
Anders & Boyd,
OREGON, MISSOURI.

—Attend
—The Masquerade
—And Old Time Party at
—Sterrett's Opera House, this
—Thursday evening, January 17th.
—The colored school at Forest City commenced last Monday.

—P. M. Zook will take your photographs running, sitting or standing.
—Get Anderson & Boyd's prices on Saddles before purchasing elsewhere.

—Mrs. Green is prepared to clean, dye and repair men and boys' clothing.
—Ask Linn Derr how he likes running a harness shop with the front door locked.

—Dr. Lukens, dentist, has returned from St. Joseph, and can now be found at his office.

—Minton & Burgess are giving off an extra ten per cent. discount on all Winter Goods.

—All members of the Christian church will meet on Saturday afternoon, at one o'clock. Business of importance requires your presence.

—Oh, those iron bound stirrups, those boss fitting stirrups, those everlasting stirrups that will wear you so well.
D. M. MARTIN.

—Miss Mattie Perret entertained a number of her young friends on Tuesday evening. All were delighted with the manner in which they were entertained.

—Our subscribers will notice the prospectus of The Kansas City Times. Barring its politics, the Times is one of the best papers west of New York, and as a newspaper has no superior on the continent.

—On Thursday, the 17th inst., at the residence of the bride's parents, Dr. A. G. Young and Miss Mollie Devours were united in marriage by the Rev. S. Carothers. The SENTINEL extends congratulations.

—Custer Post, G. A. R. of St. Joseph, have assurance that General Sherman will be with them on the 22d of February, when they have a camp fire. A delegation will go from the Post of this city.

—Rev. S. Carothers will preach at Triumph school house next Sunday at eleven o'clock; at the United Brethren church at 2:30 p.m., and a Union Temperance meeting will be held at the M. E. church in the evening. The public are invited to these meetings.

—Mr. G. Miles, of St. Joseph is in the city in the interest of his carriage business. While here he is contracted with Gid. Kunkel for a fine carriage. Mr. M. does not handle any shoddy work, and you can rely strictly on what he tells you. See his advertisement elsewhere.

—Schulte & Holtegreve having started a meat shop one door east of Foster Brothers' livery stable, request the patronage of the citizens of Oregon and vicinity. They will endeavor to please their customers in every respect. First class meats will be kept on hand at all times. Cash paid for hides.

—Dio Lewis' Monthly has an able editorial on Prohibitory Liquor Laws, the author being the originator of the "Woman's crusade, and by many persons regarded as a fanatic on the subject of temperance. It is well worth the study of every person interested in reform.

—Thirty car loads of hogs were received in St. Joseph last Tuesday. The price paid by the dealers there was five cents more on the hundred pounds than in Kansas City. There is an active demand for hogs in that city, and the dealers there seem determined to pay top prices. We see no reason why the St. Joseph dealers should not handle all the hogs from this section of the state.

—Chambers, Marney & Co's great 10 per cent. discount sale is a splendid success, their sales last week being nearly as large as they were the week before Christmas. They allow the discount from all new goods, as well as from their entire old stock, so that anything in the dry goods line during this sale is sold at prices very much under value. Those who have attended the sale fully appreciate the bargains that Chambers, Marney & Co. of St. Joseph, are in this way offering their patrons, and those who have not should not delay in posting themselves. Different lines of new goods are now being placed on sale by this firm.

—Have you seen the comet?
—Go to P. M. Zook's Art Gallery for Fine Landscape hands.

—Attend the Masquerade at the Opera House, this evening.

—A good second-hand wagon and buggy pole for sale cheap at the Central.

—Next week we will publish an interesting article on "Human Fossils" by one of our most valued contributors.

—Adrian Pinkston, of Forest City, is engaging quite extensively in the furniture business. What is the meaning of all this, Adrian?

—G. H. Price has resigned his clerkship with Anderson & Cummins. His place will be filled by Mr. James E. Cummins, who is one of our most popular young business men.

—A very pleasant surprise party was given Miss Iva and Nettie Nies on last Friday evening, at their home, by our young people. The evening was most pleasantly passed by all those present.

—In these times of assassination robbery and kidnapping all persons calling at the editorial rooms before sunrise are requested to give their names in a loud voice after knocking.

—Mr. Adrian Pinkston has purchased the Holztzell interest in the Forest City lumber yard. Adrian is a No. 1 business boy, and there is no one we wish success more than he. May he succeed beyond his utmost expectations, is the sincere wish of the SENTINEL.

—The Marryville Democrat suggests that, in view of the severe losses sustained by Prof. Hill, of Oregon, Mo., and the fact that he is a lecturer of very great ability, that a series of lectures be arranged for him, and the people given an opportunity of assisting him on his feet again by liberally attending the lectures. Not a bad idea.—Savannah Reporter.

—Mr. C. W. McCoy, of Mound City, who is well known here as one of the heaviest stock shippers in the Missouri valley, was in the city yesterday with several car loads of fat hogs, which were purchased by Mr. E. P. Rohrer. Mr. McCoy used to supply Mr. Rohrer with hogs years ago, when the latter was engaged in packing. Nobly else can buy of him when his old-time friend is in the market.—Gazette.

—A daily mail has been established between Oregon and New Point, which went into effect last Tuesday. This will prove a great benefit to the people of that section of the country. Mr. Thomas Wright, the mail-carrier, has rented his farm and will move to New Point. He is one of the most efficient stage runners we have, and the citizens of New Point are to be congratulated on having so reliable an official as Mr. Wright.

—An old philosophic darkey was talking one day about rich men who squeezed their money and held on to it till they died, and he remarked: "Boss, dat rich man just like a fat hog in de pen. He no count till he die. When fat hog die you recall him and clean him, den dar is spair rib and backbone, and ham, and midlin, and souce, and sausage-meat, and lard, and chittlins, and liver, and sweetbread, and ever so many good things, but while dat hog is in de pen alive, he ain't worth nothin' to no body. De rich man who won't let out his money is jes like de fat hog in de pen, but he bound to die sometime—he is dat—and den all his kinfolks cum in and harvest, and some get rib, and some backbone, and some get ham, but they all get somethin'."

—The peach orchards of Southern Illinois have been ruined by the recent excessive cold weather, and it is believed that the orange orchards of the Gulf states have fared similarly. The cold wave swept all over the South causing much suffering. The editor of the Rural World, in reviewing the outlook says: "The severe frost will kill all the peaches in this locality, and there will be none in Illinois or Missouri the coming season; this will be a blow to fruit growers, who suffered very badly in the same way last year, and calculated on a big crop next year. Fruit in general will suffer, and peaches being of a very susceptible nature, will feel the frost more than any other. Our peaches next year will have to come from a distance, and we will have to pay well for them."

—Literary Friday evening.
—Subscribe for THE SENTINEL.

—The SENTINEL and Weekly Kansas City Times for \$2.25.

—Old "Tyro Party" at the Opera House, this Thursday evening.

—The red bird, that beautiful songster has not yet made its appearance.

—Anderson & Boyd are offering special inducements in Lap Robes and Horse Blankets.

—Minton & Burgess are giving off an extra ten per cent. discount on all Winter goods.

—Zook & Canon's "Queen of Missouri" Flour warranted to compete with the best in the market.

—Dr. S. B. Lukens, dentist will be in Mound City, Thursday evening, January 24th, and remain over Friday.

—The loss of some of Mr. Roecker's house hold goods by fire, January 8th, though small, was promptly reported to the Phoenix, of Hartford, Insurance Company by their resident agent, W. R. Hoffman, and was promptly paid by said company.

—We learn that Hon. Schuyler Colfax will deliver a lecture here sometime in February. He will be brought here, we understand, by the Oregon Lecture Club. His subject will be "Our Martyred Presidents—Lincoln and Garfield. We hope our citizens will patronize this lecture better than they did the last one we had. We have not been reliably informed as to whether the above lecture is an established fact, as the secretary of the Club has never requested us to make any announcement.

—On account of some strange oversight or forgetfulness of the parties having the matter in charge, we did not get the program of the "Old Time Party" and Masquerade to be given by the ladies of the Woman's Union at Sterrett's Opera House, this Thursday evening, until Friday of last week, too late for publication in last week's issue. We are sorry that we were not furnished the program in time, as the more circulation it would have received, the larger would have been the attendance. We publish it this week for the benefit of those in Oregon and Forest City.

—The February number of Demorest's Monthly is both instructive and entertaining. The serial by Mrs. Champney is continued, and shorter stories are contributed by Eleanor Kirk, Hope Ledyard, Carlotta Perry, and Hope B. Chesborough. Among the readable articles are "The Yellowstone National Park," "The French Shakespeare," and "The Medieval Mystery of the Passion Play." Jenny June contributes "Life in New York," and the various departments are well filled. "The Pompeian Maiden," a fine steel engraving, forms the front-piece, and there are other admirable illustrations.

—The complimentary benefit tendered Professor Hill on Thursday evening last, was one of the richest literary treats of the season. The entertainment consisted of a lecture by the Professor on education, music, both vocal and instrumental and recitations. The audience was the largest ever assembled in the Opera House. We believe it is now conceded on all hands, that our Grand Army Post has furnished our people the best entertainments ever given in our city, and supplies a demand in the amusement line, in which all can partake alike. The Holt County Cornet Band contributed to the pleasure of the evening, by rendering a number of their choicest selections, while the martial band made all the old veterans feel young again—Master Johnny Peret, aged four years, is rapidly learning the bass drum. The vocal music was the best ever heard in our city, and the little Schulte children, Alice Spoerle, and Flora Zachman sang in a beautiful manner, showing them to be possessed of much talent. Mr. A. H. Greene's declamation, and Miss Ida Limpus' recitation were not only admirably rendered, but were well chosen and greatly appreciated by the audience. Little Mattie Ely was the attraction of the evening, and her recitation of "The Light Brigade" and "Charlie Marton," were given in such fine style as to bring tears from the large audience. The oyster supper, which was given by the ladies of the Post was all that could be wished. The entertainment throughout was a decided success. Henry Sterrett very generously donated the use of his hall, and a great big mark is placed to Henry's credit in the Big Book above.

OREGON POSSESSES

One jail.
One dairy.
One bank.
One crank.
Six artists.
One saloon.
Two hotels.
Good water.
One dentist.
Bad whisky.
One nihilist.
One bakery.
One tin store.
Five churches.
Two laundries.
One gunsmith.
Three painters.
One tailor shop.
Eleven lawyers.
A Musical Club.
Two shoe shops.
One woolen mill.
Two restaurants.
One cornet band.
One caricaturist.
An X. Y. Z. club.
One opera house.
A few old maids.
Three physicians.
One scenic artist.
One lumber yard.
A public library.
A dramatic club.
A lecture bureau.
Eight carpenters.
One jeweler store.
One flouring mill.
Six general stores.
One martial band.
Three newspapers.
A Woman's Union.
Three drug stores.
One G. A. R. Post.
Two meat markets.
One normal school.
Several loan agents.
One hardware store.
Two wagon makers.
Fourteen preachers.
Two confectionaries.
A few old bachelors.
One Masonic lodge.
One furniture store.
Three stone masons.
Three brick masons.
One Quintette Club.
Several dressmakers.
Five music teachers.
One sorghum factory.
Four Sunday schools.
Several wood carvers.
A \$80,000 court house.
Two literary societies.
One good barber shop.
An A. O. U. W. lodge.
One real estate agency.
One temperance society.
Three blacksmith shops.
One photograph gallery.
A Woman Suffrage club.
Three insurance agencies.
One Odd-Fellow's lodge.
A few strawberry blonds.
Two missionary societies.
One horticultural society.
Several good poker players.
Two lively and feed stables.
The best society in the state.
Several handsome residences.
Three harness and saddle shops.
A number of gallant young men.
Eight teachers in our public schools.
Two citizens whose combined wealth is \$225,000.

OREGON HAS

No dudes.
No dudines.
No Chinese.
No railroads.
No book store.
No Elevators.
No pawn shop.
No billiard hall.
No houses to rent.
No auction house.
No telegraph office.
No town windmill.
No shooting gallery.
No fire department.
No roller skating rink.
No exclusive clothing store.
No young men's christian association.

WANTED!

A few good, steady, young or old men or boys—boys with a mustache preferred—can find Nobby Suits and prices to fit 'em at Minton & Burgess, Forest City, Mo.

—P. M. Zook is receiving a large in voice of Picture Frames of all kinds to the Holt County trade.

"OLD TIME PARTY"

At the Playe House of citizens William H. Sterrett, this Thursday eve, 17th day of ye 1st month, called January, in the year of Our Lord 1884. Ye party will begin at early candle lighting, i. e. at 7 by ye clock. Ye guests will all come to ye party in whatever raiment suits them, provided it is modest and seemly without.

Ye price of ye refreshments will be 35 one-hundredths of one dollar, of which 10c will be taken at ye door, and 25 cts. at ye table.

N. B. Ye multitude will be fed between ye hours of 8 and 11 o'clock, and well waited on by ye goodly young women.

N. B. Evalina Angeline Kauchor and Martha Maud McKnight will snuff ye candles when necessaries.

Ye following is a partial record of what be done, as put up by ye following committee women:

Sarah Ann Goslin, Matron Hostess.
Reception, Mary Jemima Sterrett, Aurora Samantha Goslin, Matilda Jane Shuts, Katherine Quinine Thatcher.

Table: Francis Melitable Montgomery, Mary Elizabeth Nies, Lucy Sofronia Kauchor, Elvira Lucinda Brodbeck, Sarah Ann Goslin, Mary Ellen Curry, Emily Jane Dobyns, Anne Keturah Irvine.

William Henry Nies will take ye money at ye door, and ye proper person will collect ye 25c at ye table.

Ye bill of fare will be simple, consisting of white bread and butter, cold ham, sweet cake, and ye best hot coffee, served with real cream, by comely spinsters of ye olden time.

P. S. Ellen Maria Foster will cut ye bread to suit ye many.

COM. W. UNION.

OBITUARY

Died, Mrs. Josie J. Childers, wife of Charles M. Childers, living six miles east of Mound City, aged 23 years and 14 days. Mrs. C. was the daughter of Mr. N. E. Murray, so well and favorably known as a fruit grower in the southern part of this county, but now living in Omaha. Mr. Murray took his daughter home with him about a month ago, with the hope that the change might improve her health; but her disease had gained too firm a hold upon her—being that dreaded and resistless malady consumption—and on Jan. 9th she fell into a peaceful sleep in Jesus, whom she had accepted as her Savior in the 16th year of her age, and uniting with the Presbyterian church, at that time. Her remains were brought from Omaha and buried in the Cemetery at the United Brethren church near her late home. The funeral was held in the church, Jan. 11, conducted by Rev. T. D. Roberts. She was an invalid several months, and suffered much, but without murmur or complaint, and bore her sufferings with Christian patience and fortitude. Her record is, that she was always a kind and obedient daughter, a faithful and loving wife, a fond mother to the little one so soon deprived of her tender care. Though dying early in life she was ready and willing to depart and be with the Lord; for she had received of Him these "jewels of silver and jewels of gold, and raiment," that fitted her for the Marriage Supper of the Lamb, and was brought on her way by those means of grace provided her by her Lord.
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A LIMITED OFFER.

Until March 1, 1884, the Sentinel and Kansas City Weekly Times will be furnished to Subscribers at \$2.25 a Year.

Having made a special arrangement with the Publishers, we are enabled to furnish our paper and The Kansas City Weekly Times one year for \$2.25. As an important Presidential Campaign is almost upon us, every one should subscribe for a good newspaper. The low price named above should be taken advantage of at once, as it will be withdrawn after March 1st. Send all orders to this office.

THANKS.

The "Woman's Union" wish to tender a vote of thanks to the ladies and gentlemen who braved the fury of the elements on the evening of our 22th anniversary to furnish music for the occasion.
COMMITTEE.